How do I add a teaching assistant, second instructor, or guest to my Blackboard course?

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1. Make sure Edit Mode is ON.
2. Click on the Users and Groups area of the Control Panel.
3. Click on Users.
4. Click Find Users to Enroll.
5. On the Add Enrollments page, enter the teaching assistant’s or instructor’s username (do NOT include @umbc.edu of their email address).
6. Select the appropriate role from the dropdown (Student, Interpreter, Teaching Assistant, Course Builder, Instructor, or Guest). Please note:
   - Guest Access will allow users to view content only. No access is provided to any tools that leave data footprints such as assessments or discussions. Guest Access must also be configured within the course. See How do I allow guest access to my Blackboard course?
   - TAs will have access to Needs Grading and the grade center while graders can access Needs Grading, but not the grade center.
   - Course Builders have access to everything that an Instructor can do except the Grade Center.
   - Users who are added to a course with the Instructor role by another Instructor can only be removed by a Blackboard system administrator.

7. In general, leave enrollment availability set to YES.

8. Click on Submit.